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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SHAWN REID,

Plaintiff,

22 Civ. 04483 (JHR)

-V.-

MAINSTREAM ELECTRIC, INC. et al.,

Defendants.

<u>ORDER</u>

JENNIFER H. REARDEN, District Judge:

On November 9, 2023, Plaintiff Shawn Reid and Defendants City of New York and New

York City School Construction Authority (the "City Defendants") requested that the Court adjourn

briefing of the City Defendants' motion to dismiss the Amended Complaint until after the

completion of mediation in Richards v. Mainstream Electric, Inc., 22 Civ. 4482 (CM) (S.D.N.Y.

2022). See ECF No. 72 (explaining that "mediation in *Richards*[,] . . . which involves [] similar

claims and the same Defendants and defense attorneys as in this case[,] . . . may result in a

settlement of this case as well and may obviate the need for further litigation and motion practice

in this action"). On November 9, the Court granted the parties' application. See ECF No. 73

(November 9 Order). Nearly four months have now passed since the City Defendants filed their

motion to dismiss. In that time, there has not been any other activity on the docket.

In light of ongoing settlement discussions in *Richards* that "may obviate the need for

further litigation and motion practice in this action," the City Defendants' motion to dismiss (ECF

No. 70), as well as the motion to dismiss filed by Defendants Mainstream Electric, Inc., and Errol

Grant (ECF No. 37), are hereby denied without prejudice to refiling following the conclusion of

mediation if a settlement is not consummated.

The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate ECF Nos. 37 and 70.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 23, 2024

New York, New York

United States District Judge